



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Re: Application of: Stefan MORGENSTERN, et al.  
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For: **DEVICE FOR SUSPENDING GUIDE BLADES**  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 7, 2009 in the above-referenced case, please amend the above-referenced case as follows: